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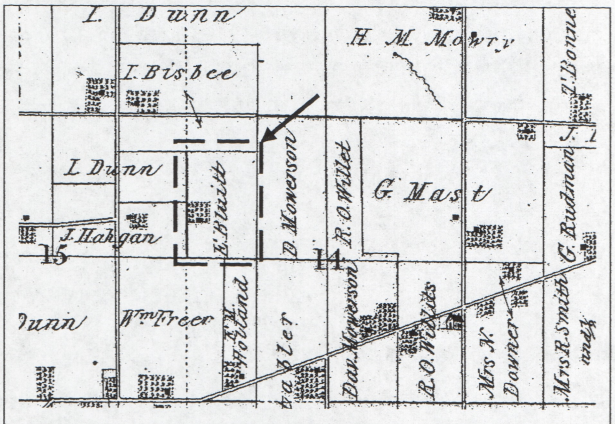
# EDWARD BLUETT OF ANN ARBOR TOWNSHIP, WASHTENAW COUNTY, MICHIGAN

**Research by Jan E. Tripp, Ann Arbor, Michigan**

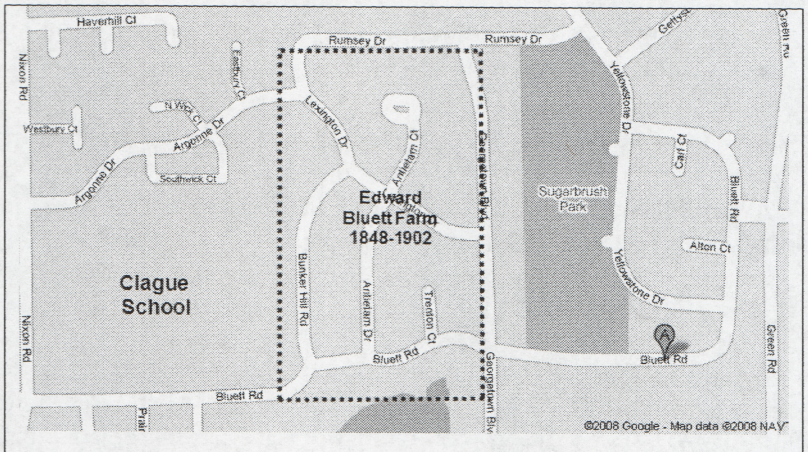
What is the origin of Bluett Road in northeast Ann Arbor? Webster's dictionary describes a "bluet" as a blue flower and "blewitt" as a blue edible mushroom,[1] but the street is named after Edward Bluett, an early Ann Arbor Township farmer.[2]

Bluett Road doesn't appear on Ann Arbor Township maps until 1960.[3] Longtime township resident, Phebe Judson, recollects that Bluett Road went as far as the Kroske property (now Stuber) across from Clague School.[4] Bluett Road resident, Dick Stuber, recalled that Bluett Road was an unpaved dirt road when he purchased the Kroske property in 1972.[5]The road was extended to Georgetown Boulevard in 1964 when Forest Hills Subdivision was platted.[6] It was later extended as Bluett Drive to Yellowstone Drive in 1967 when the Smokler-Bolgos Subdivision was platted.[7]




1874 Ann Arbor Township map showing Edward Bluett's (spelled "Bluitt" here) Ann Arbor Township farm.

The 57 acre Bluett farm was bounded by Bluett, Georgetown, Rumsey and Bunker Hill streets in the Forest Hills Subdivision west of Clague School.[8]The farm house was gone by 1938 when the WPA conducted a rural property inventory in Ann Arbor Township.[9]




The northeast Ann Arbor neighborhood today showing the location of the Bluett farm.

Edward Bluett was born in Crowan Parish, Cornwall, England, in 1806.[10] He arrived in the U.S. in 1829 and came to Michigan in 1839.[11] He first appears on the Ann Arbor Township tax rolls in 1848.[12] He married Elizabeth "Betsy" Mowerson, the daughter of Abraham and Anna (Hurlburt) Mowerson.[13] Edward and Betsy had four children: Mary, who married Mason Doty;[14] Harriet, who married James M. Miller;[15] Florence, who married Charles Eddy;[16] and Benjamin, who married Mary Dillie.[17] After Edward died in 1889, Betsy lived on their farm with her son until her death in 1895.[18] The farm remained in the family until 1902 when Benjamin sold it to John and Mary Campbell.[19]

## Genealogical Summary For Edward Bluett

**1. Edward Bluett**[1], born 9 May 1806 in Parish Crowan, County Cornwell, England;[20] died 24 January 1889 in Ann Arbor Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan.[21] He married **Betsey Mowerson,** daughter of Abraham and Anna (Hurlbert) Mowerson.[22] Betsy was born 20 July 1815 in New York;[23] died 30 March 1895 in Ann Arbor Township.[24]

There is no trace of Edward's life before 1848 and it is possible he emigrated from Cornwall by himself and moved about before settling down to farming in Ann Arbor Township.[25] In an era when people were very active in local political affairs, Edward never ran for public office. Township records show he served as overseer of highways in his district in 1857.[26] Even in death, he left few records. No burial or tombstones have been located for either Edward or Betsy, but it seems likely they were buried in Dixboro (Oakgrove) Cemetery in nearby Dixboro, Washtenaw County.[27]

Children of Edward and Betsey (Mowerson) Bluett born in Ann Arbor Township.[28]

2 i. MARY[2] ELIZABETH BLUETT, born 12 January 1847;[29] died 14 September 1875 in Eagle, Clinton County, Michigan.[30] She married Mason Doty on 05 January 1867 in Clinton County.[31]

3 ii. HARRIET M. BLUETT, born about 1848/50; died by 1895 at the time her mother's estate was probated.[32] She married James M. Miller about 1868.[33]

4 iii. FLORENCE "FLORA" ROSALIA BLUETT, born 19 July 1854;[34] died 20 November 1920 in Cleveland, Ohio.[35] She married Charles L. Eddy on 12 December 1871 in Ann Arbor.[36]

5 iv. EDWARD BENJAMIN BLUETT, born about 1859;[37] died 1 March 1915 at Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.[38] He married Mary Denny on 3 June 1902 in Cleveland.[39] Mary was born about 1876 at Phillipsburg, Pennsylvania, the daughter of John and Bridget (McFerren) Denny.[40] Mary married (1) about 1896 [–?–] Dilly.[41] Edward and Mary had no children.

Edward worked on the family farm until his mother died and later went to live with his sister Flora in Cleveland, where he worked in a factory as a pressman. By 1910, he and Mary were living in Pittsburgh, where he worked as a millwright at the Jones and Laughlin Mill.[42]He was killed in a fall at the mill.

## SECOND GENERATION

**2. Mary[2] Elizabeth Bluett** (Edward[1]), born 12 January 1847;[43] died 14 September 1875 and buried at Eagle, Clinton County, Michigan.[44] She married Mason Doty on 05 January 1867 in Clinton County.[45] Mason was born about 1847 in New York.[46] Mason was living in Reed City, Osceola County, Michigan, in 1900.[47]

Mason and Mary are enumerated in 1870 in Eagle Township where he is engaged in farming.[48] After Mary's death in 1875, the family appears to have disintegrated. In 1880, Emma and Eva are living in Ann Arbor Township with their grandparents, Edward and Betsy Bluett,[49] while Nelson is boarding with William and Harriet Sutherland in Eagle Township.[50] Lucinda may have died early as she doesn't appear after 1870.[51]

Children of Mason and Mary Elizabeth (Bluett) Doty:

6 i. EMMA[3] DOTY, born October 1867;[52] married John G. Waldo about 1891.[53] John G. Waldo was born 12 February 1868 at Day Township, Montcalm County, Michigan, the son of Philipp and Leah Waldo.[54] He was farming in Watertown Township, Clinton County, Michigan in 1900-1920.[55]

7 ii. LUCINDA DOTY, born January 1870;[56] died by 1895.[57]

8 iii. EVA DOTY, born about 1871;[58] died by 1895.[59]

9 iv. NELSON GEORGE DOTY, born 22 January 1873 at Eagle, Clinton County, Michigan;[60] died 29 January 1927 at Cleveland, Ohio;[61] and buried at Eagle.[62] At the time of his death he worked for the Pennsylvania Railroad.[63]

**3. Harriet[2] "Hattie" M. Bluett** (Edward[1]), born about 1848/1850;[64] died by 1895 when her mother's estate was probated. She married James M. Miller about 1868.[65] He was born 27 October 1845 in Michigan;[66] died 7 June 1875,[67] and buried at Eagle Township, Clinton County, Michigan.[68]

In 1870, James and Harriet lived in Watertown Township, Clinton County.[69] In their household are Edward B. Miller, age 1 and Rebecca Doty, age 56.[70] In 1880, Hattie is widowed and living in Watertown Township with her children, Edward and Goldie, and her mother-in-law, Rebecca Doty.[71]

Children of James M. and Harriet (Bluett) Miller:

10 i. EDWARD[3] B. MILLER, born about 1869.[72] Living in Ann Arbor in 1910.[73]

11 ii. GOLDIE INEZ MILLER, born 16 January 1874;[74] died 27 June 1929 in Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon.[75] She married John Henry Bateman on 23 February 1897 in Dixboro, Washtenaw County, Michigan.[76] He was born 16 October 1870 in Ann Arbor;[77] died 4 October 1938 in Portland.[78]

**4. Florence[2] "Flora" Rosalia Bluett** (Edward[1]), born 19 July 1853 in Ann Arbor Township;[79] died 20 November 1920 in Cleveland, Cuyahoga County, Ohio.[80] She married Charles Lenard Eddy on 12 December 1871 in Ann Arbor.[81] He was born 20 February 1852 in Euclid, Cuyahoga County, the son of Jamie M. and Martha J. (Marsilliott) Eddy;[82] died 2 February 1919 in Cleveland.[83]

Florence and Charles lived their entire married life in the Cleveland area. In 1880 they are enumerated in Euclid Township with children Alice and Charles. Charles is working as a laborer.[84] Later in 1900, they are renting a house at 297 Lake Street in Cleveland. Charles is a grocery salesman. They have nine roomers including a cook, Mary Dilley. Several years later she married Benjamin Bluett, rooming with his sister and brother-in-law.[85] By 1910, Charles and Florence are living with their daughter, Alice, and her husband, Clarence, at 827 Clark Avenue in Cleveland. Charles' occupation is "own income."[86] Florence continued to live with Alice and Charles until her death in 1920.[87]

Children of Charles and Florence (Bluett) Eddy born in Cuyahoga County:

12 i. ALICE[3] V. EDDY, born 14 August 1872 in Euclid;[88] died 18 March 1939 in Cleveland.[89] She married Clarence B. Gunn on 4 February 1890, in Cuyahoga

County.[90] He was born 29 September 1869 in Cleveland, the son of Charles H. and Elizabeth (Whitlock) Gunn;[91] died 11 March 1952 in Cleveland.[92]

13 ii. CHARLES B. EDDY, born 7 October 1876;[93] died 19 June 1900 in Cleveland.[94]

14 iii. UNKNOWN CHILD, died before 1900.[95]

15 iv. HARRY NORMAN EDDY, born 14 October 1885 at Nottingham;[96] died 16 January 1943 in Cleveland.[97] He married (1) Angie Keener on 1 May 1908 at Euclid. She was born about 1895 in Michigan, the daughter of Benjamin and Sophia (Placer) Keener.[98] He married (2) Margaret J. Brake on 23 July 1913 at Euclid. She was born about 1897 at Marine City, Michigan, the daughter of Fran and Lavina (Smith) Brake.[99] He married (3) Eunice R. (Striker) Smith on 17 February 1922 at Shaker Heights, Ohio. She was born about 1886 in Adams County, Indiana, the daughter of Mathias and Lucinda (Handley) Striker.[100] Harry was a machinist for the New York Central Railroad.[101]

16 v. LEIGH EUGENE EDDY, born 18 February 1888 at Nottingham;[102] died 13 June 1962 at Cleveland.[103] He married Margaret Gussie Hales about 1905.[104] She was born 04 October 1888 at Willoughby, Lake County, Ohio, the daughter of Robert Hales and Minnie Burnett;[105] died 28 October 1941 at Cleveland.[106]

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[1] Bluet. Dictionary.com. *Dictionary.com Unabridged (v 1.1)*. Random House, Inc. http://dictionary.reference.com/browse/bluet (accessed: November 27, 2008). Blewitt. Dictionary.com. *Dictionary.com Unabridged (v 1.1)*. Random House, Inc. http://dictionary.reference.com/browse/blewitt (accessed: November 27, 2008).

[2] Ann Arbor Township, Highway Records, 1820s-1920s, Record of Roads, box 5, Bentley Historical Library. A reference to "Bluett Road" was found in the index but the record book, apparently of road work done, is not in the series. Also examined are the Mixed Records, 1820s-1920s containing annual reports, petitions, orders, road survey records and road repair vouchers. A large portion of road surveys were examined but no survey for "Bluett Road" was found. The surveys are tied in bundles and are not filed in alphabetic or chronological order.

[3] Rockford Map Publishers and Washtenaw County Farm Bureau, *Farm Plat Book with Index to Owners, Washtenaw County, Michigan* (Rockford, Ill.: Rockford Map Publishers, 1960).

[4] Phebe Judson (7020 Plymouth Road, Ann Arbor, MI 48105), interview by Jan E. Tripp, 21 July 2003; transcript privately held by Tripp, Ann Arbor, Michigan, 2008. Phebe's g-grandfather Frederick's farm was located on Nixon Road near Clague School.

[5] Dick Stuber (2940 Bluett Road, Ann Arbor, MI 48105), interview by Jan E. Tripp, 2 July 2003; transcript privately held by Tripp, Ann Arbor, Michigan, 2008. Dick purchased his property across from Clague School in the early 1970s.

[6] Ann Arbor, Michigan, "Forest Hills Sub No. 2, Part of the W ½ of the W ½ of Sec. 14 T2SR6E," 24 Apr. 1964; digital image, Department of Energy, Labor & Economic Growth, Bureau of Construction Codes, *Statewide Search for Subdivision Plats* (http://www.dleg.state.mi.us/platmaps/sr_subs.asp: accessed 7 Sept 2008).

[7] Ann Arbor, Michigan, "Smokler Bolgos Subdivision, part of the N ½ of Sec. 14 T2SR6E," 10 Aug. 1967; digital image, Department of Energy, Labor & Economic Growth, Bureau of Construction Codes, *Statewide Search for Subdivision Plats* (http://www.dleg.state.mi.us/platmaps/sr_subs.asp: accessed 7 Sept 2008).

[8] Washtenaw County, Michigan, Land Records, Lib. 31: 340, David and Seha Mowerson to Betsey Blewett, 21 Nov 1850; Register of Deeds and Records, Ann Arbor.

[9] Elizabeth Bradshaw, Rural Property Inventory, 1939, Ann Arbor Township, Section 14, Michigan State Tax Commission, RG-2003-69, Box 1, code 14G; Archives of Michigan, Lansing.

[10] Edward Bluett obituary, *The Ann Arbor Courier*, Ann Arbor, Michigan, 6 Feb 1889, page 3, column 2.

[11] Edward Bluett obituary cited above. "He came to this country sixty years ago [1829], and lived on the place where he died for over forty years [1839]."

[12] Michigan, Washtenaw County, Ann Arbor Township Assessment Rolls, 1837-1848, unpaginated entries arranged chronologically, entry for Edward Bluitt, 1848; FHL microfilm 925,695.

[13] Charles C. Chapman, editor, *History of Washtenaw County Michigan* (1881; reprint, Mt. Vernon, Indiana: Windmill Publications, 1990), 1025-26. In this biography of David Mowerson, only David's parents are identified. The Bluetts and Mowersons lived adjacent to each other in section 15 of Ann Arbor Township and the widow Anna is in Betsey's 1850 household. Betsey's maiden name is given in several of her children's death records.

[14] Mason Doty-Mary Elizabeth Bluett marriage record, 5 Jan 1867, Clinton County, Michigan, vol. B, p. 167, Clinton County Marriage Records, Clinton County Courthouse, St. Johns, Michigan, Michigan; FHL microfilm 987,769.

[15] Washtenaw County, Michigan, probate file 7,454, Betsey Blewett; Probate Court Office, Ann Arbor. Edward B. Miller and Goldie I. Miller children of Harriet M. Blewett Miller a daughter. James is not mentioned in the probate file but the family is reconstructed in the 1870 and 1880 census records and Goldie's death certificate. Assume that the marriage took place one year before the birth of their first son in 1869. A search of marriage indexes in Washtenaw and Clinton Counties for Harriet's marriage produced negative results.

[16] Flora R. Bluett-Charles L. Eddy marriage record, 12 December 1871, Ann Arbor, Michigan, no. 40, vol. 5, p. 98, Washtenaw County Marriage Records, Washtenaw County Courthouse, Ann Arbor, Michigan FHL microfilm 1,019,066.

[17] Cuyahoga County, Ohio, Record of Marriages, vol. 54, p. 59, no. 30,238 (1902), Edward B. Blewitt and Mary Dillie.

[18] Edward Bluett obituary cited in note 10 above. Betsey Blewitt death record, 30 Mar 1895, Ann Arbor Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan, no. 185, vol. 2, p. 182, Washtenaw County Death Records, Washtenaw County Courthouse, Ann Arbor, FHL microfilm 1,019,063.

[19] Washtenaw County, Michigan, Land Records, Lib. 154: 410, E. Benjamin Blewitt to John and Mary Campbell, 14 Jun 1902; Register of Deeds and Records, Ann Arbor.

[20] Edward Bluett obituary cited in note 10 above. His birth place is given as "Parish Crown, County of Cornwell, England." This is most likely Parish "Crowan" in Cornwall. See Crowan. Cornwall Towns and Parishes, UK & Ireland Genealogy, http://www.genuki.org.uk/big/eng/Cornwall/indexpars.html#C, accessed 27 Nov 2008.

[21] Edward Bluett obituary cited in note 10 above. No burial place is mentioned.

[22] See note 13 cited above.

[23] Betsy's birth date calculated from death date and age at death. Her death record gives her birth place as "Michigan" by ditto, but she consistently gives her birth place as "New York" in the 1850-1880 federal censuses, as well as the 1894 state census.

[24] See Betsey Blewitt death record cited in note 18 above.

[25] A search of on-line passenger lists and early census databases produced negative results. Similarly, no naturalization papers are recorded for him in Washtenaw County.

[26] Ann Arbor Township, Mixed Highway Records 1845-1902, Book no. 2, box 1, Bentley Historical Library. E. Blewitt appointed Overseer of Highways Dist. No. 12, 24 April 1857.

[27] Mrs. Betsy Bluett obituary, *The Ann Arbor Register Weekly*, Ann Arbor, Michigan, 11 April 1895, page 5. Her obituary appears in Dixboro news section; "of Ann Arbor town, was buried here last Friday." Louis White (?), "Dixboro Cemetery," Superior Township, Ypsilanti Historical Society Museum and Archive.

[28] Betsy Bluett probate file cited in note 15. Heirs at law named are Flora R. Eddy and E. Benjamin Blewett, Sole Surviving Children; Emma Waldo and Nelson G. Doty, Children of Mary Blewett Doty a daughter; Edward B. Miller and Goldie I. Miller, children of Harriet M. Blewett Miller a daughter.

[29] Lansing Chapter, U.S. Daughters 1812, "Cemetery Tombstone Inscriptions, Clinton County, Michigan," Niles Cemetery, Eagle Township (typescript, 1939, Library of Michigan), p. 230-1. Mary's birth date is calculated from her age at time of death.

[30] "Niles Cemetery Inscriptions" cited above. A search of the Clinton County, Michigan Death Index, 1867-1934, FHL microfilm 987, 080 produced negative results.

[31] Mason Doty-Mary Elizabeth Bluett marriage record, 5 Jan 1867, Clinton County, Michigan, vol. B, p. 167, Clinton County Marriage Records, Clinton County Courthouse, St. Johns, Michigan, Michigan; FHL microfilm 987,769.

[32] Harriet's birth date is estimated as 1848 from her age in the 1850 (2 years), 1860 (11 years), and 1870 (20 years) censuses. She was born before Michigan began civil registration of births began in 1867.

[33] See note 15 cited above.

[34] Ohio Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate 68,579 (1920) Florance R. Eddy; Ohio Historical Society, Columbus. She may have been born a year earlier in 1853. The "4" looks like it is written over a "3" on the certificate. Florence's daughter, Mrs. Clarence B. Gunn, was the informant and may have been uncertain of the birth year. Her age in various census records supports either 1853 or 1854 --1860 (7), 1870 (17), 1880 (26), 1900 (July 1853), 1910 (56), 1920 (65).

[35] Florance Eddy death certificate cited above.

[36] Flora R. Bluett-Charles L. Eddy marriage record, 12 December 1871, Ann Arbor, Michigan, no. 40, vol. 5, p. 98, Washtenaw County Marriage Records, Washtenaw County Courthouse, Ann Arbor, Michigan; FHL microfilm 1,019,066.

[37] Pennsylvania Department of Health, death certificate 29,286, Edward B. Blewitt; Pennsylvania Division of Vital Records, New Castle. The March 8, 1865 on the death certificate conflicts with Edward's 1860 census entry. 1859 seems more likely based on this and his age in other census years. His wife provided the birth information and didn't have first hand knowledge.

[38] Edward Bluett death certificate cited above.

[39] Cuyahoga County, Ohio, Record of Marriages, vol. 54, p. 59, no. 30,238 (1902), Edward B. Blewitt and Mary Dillie.

[40] Edward Blewitt marriage record cited above.

[41] 1900 U.S. census, Cuyahoga County, Ohio, population schedule, Cleveland Township, Cleveland City, Ward 4, 297 Lake Street, dwelling 25, family 40, enumeration district 16, supervisor's district 19, sht. 2A, p. 246 [stamped]. Charles Eddy, digital image, *HeritageQuest.com* (http://www.heritagequest.com: accessed 3 Jan 2006); citing NARA microfilm T623, roll 1253. Mary Dillie is a cook in Charles Eddy's household. She is married 4 years [1896] and has one of one living child, but not enumerated in the Eddy household.

[42] 1910 U.S. census, Cuyahoga County, Ohio, population schedule, Cleveland City (formerly part of Collingwood Village), Ward 26, 827 Clark Avenue, sht. 13A, page 209 [stamped], enumeration district 408, supervisor's district 19, dwelling 276, family 297, Clarence Gunn, digital image, *HeritageQuest.com* (http://www.heritagequest.com: accessed 5 Jan 2006); citing NARA microfilm publication T624, roll 1176.

[43] "Niles Cemetery Inscriptions" cited in note 29 above.

[44] "Niles Cemetery Inscriptions" cited in note 29 above.

[45] Doty-Bluett marriage record cited in note 31above.

[46] Doty-Bluett marriage record cited in note 31above. above. Mason's birth date estimated from his age at marriage (20).

[47] 1900 U.S. census, Osceola County, Michigan, population schedule, Richmond Township, Reed City, Chestnut Street, enumeration district 156, supervisor's district 11, dwelling 165, family 167, sht. 7B, Mason Doty [enumerated in Gortie Sprague household, border], digital image, *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com: accessed 16 Nov 2008), citing NARA microfilm publication T623, roll 737. Mason is widowed, born in New York, March 1847.

[48] 1870 U.S. census, Clinton County, Michigan, population schedule, Eagle Township, Wacousta post office, dwelling 136, family 136, p. 494R, Mason Doty, digital image, *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com: accessed 15 Nov 2008); citing NARA microfilm M593, roll 669.

[49] 1880 U.S. census, Washtenaw County, Michigan, population schedule, Ann Arbor Township, dwelling 155, family 155, enumeration Dist. 222, supervisor's district 1, p. 17, William Bluett, digital image, *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com: accessed 07 Sep 2008); citing NARA microfilm T9, roll 608.

[50] 1880 U.S. census, Clinton County, Michigan population schedule, Eagle Township, dwelling 93, family 98, enumeration dist. 48, supervisor's district 3, sht. 22B, Nelson Doto [in Wm. and Harriet Sutherland household], digital image, *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com: accessed 16 Nov 2008); citing NARA microfilm T9, roll 576.

[51] A search of Washtenaw County Death Index and Clinton County Death Index produced negative results.

[52] 1900 U.S. census, Clinton County, Michigan, population schedule, Watertown Township, vol. 16, enumeration district 19, supervisor's district 8, sht. 8B, dwelling 141, family 145, John G. Waldo, digital image, *HeritageQuest.com* (http://www.heritagequest.com: accessed 3 Jan 2006); citing NARA microfilm publication T623, roll 708.

[53] 1900 census record for John G. Waldo cited above. Married 9 years (1891).

[54] Michigan Department of Health, "Michigan Births 1867-1902," digital images, *FamilySearch.org* (http://pilot.familysearch.org/recordsearch: accessed 31 Jan 2009), entry for John G. Waldo, 12 February 1868; citing Michigan Births (Montcalm), p. 285, record no. 71; FHL microfilm 2,297,920.

[55] 1910 U.S. census, Clinton County, Michigan, population schedule, Watertown Township, enumeration district 21, supervisor's district 8, sht. 7B, dwelling 138, family 140, John G. Waldo, digital image, *HeritageQuest.com* (http://www.heritagequest.com: accessed 3 Jan 2006); citing NARA microfilm publication T624, roll 643. 1920 U.S. census, Clinton County, Michigan, population schedule, Watertown Township, enumeration district 25, supervisor's district 8, sht. 5A, page 235 (stamped), dwelling 118, family118, John G. Waldo, digital image, *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com: accessed 02 February 2009); citing NARA microfilm publication T625, roll 761.

[56] Mason Doty 1870 census entry cited in note 48 above. Lucinda, age 9/12, born in Jan of census year.

[57] Betsy Bluett probate cited in note 15 above. Lucinda is not named as a child of Mary (Bluett) Doty, deceased, and heir-at-law in Betsy's estate.

[58] 1880 Edward Bluett household cited in not 49 above. Eva Doty, age 9, granddaughter.

[59] Betsy Bluett probate cited in note 15 above. Eva is not named as a child of Mary (Bluett) Doty, deceased, and heir-at-law in Betsy's estate.

[60] Ohio Department of Health, "Ohio Deaths 1908-1953," database, *FamilySearch.org* (http://pilot.familysearch.org/recordsearch: accessed 31 Jan 2009), entry for Nelson Doty, 29 Jan 1927; citing Ohio Deaths, certificate no. 1710; FHL microfilm 1,984,619.

[61] Nelson Doty death certificate cited above.

[62] Nelson Doty death certificate cited above. The certificate gives his burial place as Lansing, Michigan. See Niles Cemetery inscriptions cited in note 29 above.

[63] Nelson Doty death certificate cited above.

[64] 1870 U.S. census, Clinton County, Michigan, population schedule, Watertown Township, dwelling 155, family 157, p. 639, Jas M. Miller, digital image, *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com: accessed 15 Nov 2008); citing NARA microfilm M593, roll 669.Harriet's birth date is estimated from her age ( 20) in 1870.

[65] Doty-Bluett marriage cited in note 15 above.

[66] Niles Cemetery cited in note 29 above. James' birth date is calculated from his tombstone death date and age at death.

[67] Niles Cemetery cited in note 29 above.

[68] Niles Cemetery cited in note 29 above.

[69] James Miller 1870 census entry cited in note 64 above.

[70] James Miller 1870 census entry cited in note 64 above.

[71] 1880 U.S. census, Clinton County, Michigan, population schedule, Watertown Township, dwelling 10, family 10, enumeration dist. 57, supervisor's district 3, sht. 1A, Hattie Miller, digital image, *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com: accessed 16 Nov 2008); citing NARA microfilm T9, roll 577.

[72] James Miller 1870 census entry cited in note 64 above. Edward's birth date estimated from his census age.

[73] 1910 U.S. census, Washtenaw County, Michigan, population schedule, Ann Arbor Township, enumeration district 123, supervisor's district 121, sht. 3A, page 166 [stamped], dwelling 52, family 53, Edward Miller [enumerated in Sarah Roberts household], digital image, *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com: accessed 16 Nov 2008); citing NARA microfilm publication T624, roll 677.

[74] Oregon State Board of Health, death certificate 1,973 (1929), Goldie Bateman; Oregon State Archives, Portland.

[75] Goldie Bateman death certificate cited above.

[76] J. H. Bateman-Goldie Miller marriage record, 23 Feb 1897, Ann Arbor, Michigan, no. 3237, vol. 7, p. 216, Washtenaw County Marriage Records, Washtenaw County Courthouse, Ann Arbor, Michigan; FHL microfilm 1,019,066.

[77] Oregon State Board of Health, death certificate 3,047 (1938), John Bateman; Oregon State Archives, Portland.

[78] John Bateman death certificate cited above.

[79] Ohio Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate 68,579 (1920), Florance R. Eddy; Ohio Historical Society, Columbus.

[80] Florance Eddy death certificate cited in note 34 above. Florence R. Eddy obituary, 22 Nov 1920, *Cleveland Plain Dealer*, n.p.

[81] Bluett-Eddy marriage cited in note 36 above.

[82] Ohio Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate 9,165 (1919) Charles Lenard Eddy; Ohio Historical Society, Columbus. Charles L. Eddy obituary, 5 Feb 1919, *Cleveland Plain Dealer,* n.p.

[83] Charles Lenard Eddy death certificate cited above.

[84] 1880 U.S. census, Cuyahoga County, Ohio, population schedule, Euclid, enumeration district 63, supervisor's district 6, p. 155A. Charles Eddy, digital image, *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com: accessed 16 Nov 2008); citing NARA microfilm publication T9, roll 1009.

[85] Charles Eddy 1900 census cited in note 41 above.

[86] 1910 U.S. census, Cuyahoga County, Ohio, population schedule, Cleveland City (formerly part of Collingwood Village, Ward 26, 827 Clark Avenue, sht. 13A, page 209 [stamped], enumeration district 408, supervisor's district 19, dwelling 276, family 297, Clarence Gunn, digital image, *HeritageQuest.com* (http://www.heritagequest.com: accessed 5 Jan 2006); citing NARA microfilm publication T624, roll 1176.

[87] 1920 U.S. census, Cuyahoga County, Ohio, population schedule, Cleveland City, Ward 26, 827 East 147th Street, sht. 14A, page (stamped) 296, enumeration district 492, supervisor's district 19, dwelling 220, family 263, Clarence B. Gunn, digital image, *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com: accessed 28 Jan 2009); citing NARA microfilm publication T625, roll 1373.

[88] Ohio Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate 15,363 (1939) Alice V. Gunn; Ohio Historical Society, Columbus.

[89] Alice V. Gunn death certificate cited above.

[90] Cuyahoga County, Ohio, Record of Marriages, vol. 34, p. 130 (1890), Clarence B. Gunn and Alice V. Eddy.

[91] Ohio Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate 15,027 (1952) Clarence B. Gunn; Ohio Historical Society, Columbus. Clarence R. Gunn obituary, 14 Mar 1952; database, *Cleveland Public Library* (http://www.cpl.org: accessed 4 Jan 2006), The Cleveland Necrology File, id. no. 529,632.

[92] Clarence B. Gunn death certificate cited above.

[93] Charles B. Eddy obituary, 24 Jun 1900, *Cleveland Plain Dealer,* n.p.

[94] Charles B. Eddy death certificate cited above

[95] Charles Eddy 1900 census cited in note 41above. Flora has 4 of 5 living children.

[96] Ohio Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate 1,353 (1943) Harry Norman Eddy; Ohio Historical Society, Columbus. Harry N. Eddy obituary, 19 Jan 1943; database, *Cleveland Public Library* (http://www.cpl.org: accessed 4 Jan 2006), The Cleveland Necrology File, id. no. 87,432. U. S. Geographic Survey, "Geographic Names Information System (GNIS)," database, *U.S. Board on Geographic Names* (http://geonames.usgs.gov/pls/gnispublic: accessed 04 February), entry for Nottingham, populated place in Cuyahoga County, Ohio.

[97] Harry Norman Eddy death certificate cited above.

[98] Cuyahoga County, Ohio, Record of Marriage, vol. 70, p. 25., no. 57,097 (1908), Harry N. Eddy and Angie Keener.

[99] Cuyahoga County, Ohio, Record of Marriage, vol. 85, p. 205, no 87,817 (1913), Harry N. Eddy and Margaret J. Brake.

[100] Cuyahoga County, Ohio, Record of Marriage, vol. 125, p. 317, no. 166,581 (1922), Harry N. Eddy and Eunice R. Smith.

[101] Harry Norman Eddy death certificate cited in note 96 above.

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[105] Ohio Department of Health, "Ohio Deaths 1908-1953," digital images, *FamilySearch.org* (http://pilot.familysearch.org/recordsearch: accessed 31 Jan 2009), entry for Margaret Gussie Eddy, 28 Oct 1941; citing Ohio Deaths, certificate no. 59,819; FHL microfilm 2,023,970. Margaret's death record only gives "Willoughby" as her birth place, see: U. S. Geographic Survey, "Geographic Names Information System (GNIS)," database, *U.S. Board on Geographic Names* (http://geonames.usgs.gov/pls/gnispublic: accessed 04 February), entry for Willoughby, populated place in Lake County, Ohio.

[106] Margaret Gussie Eddy death record cited above.

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*Daily Times & News, Ann Arbor,* Nov. 16, 1911. p. 7

Death of Mrs. Allen, wife of the Rev. W. C. Allen, occurred last Thursday at her home in Leslie. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Allen have many friends in Webster formed during his pastorate of the Congregational Church about thirty years ago. This is Mr. Allen's second term of preaching at the church in Leslie. (Webster)

Mrs. W. R. Scadin entertained a few ladies at dinner Friday for her sister, Mrs. E. H. Artz of Oregon, Ill. . . .formerly Miss Mattie McColl. (Webster)

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# ELNATHAN BOTSFORD FAMILY BIBLE RECORD

This Bible is located at the Museum on Main Street, Ann Arbor, MI. The Washtenaw County Historical Society has graciously shared this family record with our Society for our Bible Record Registry. There is another family Bible in this collection, Bach, B-34, that has ties to this family. The Old Testament title page is missing.

*The New Testament*. New York: J. Emory and B. Waugh,1829.

This certifies that Mr. Elnathan Botsford and Miss Elisa Smith were this day joined together in the Banns of holy wedlock by Jonathan Huestis Minister of the Methodist E Church 22d April 1825.
Witness Samuel Bebenz

**Family Record**

Elnathan & Eliza Botsford were married Apl 22, 1825
Albert Botsford and Emma Marshall were married Nov. 27th 1859
Ellen Botsford and Louis Godfrey were married November 9th 1865
Celia Botsford & William Gillette were married November 15th 1865
Anna Botsford and Philip Bach were married May 3, 1876

Elnathan Botsford was born May 6, 1799
Eliza Botsford was born Dec 4, 1803
Smith Botsford was born Aug 14, 1827
Ellen Botsford was born Feb 23, 1832
Henry Botsford was born July 30, 1835
Albert Botsford was born March 31, 1837
Anna Botsford was born Aug 12, 1839
Celia Botsford was born Sept 29, 1841
Mary Botsford was born Sept 7, 1843
Amelia Botsford was born Sept 8, 1845
Jasper Botsford was born Nov 23, 1847
Charlotte Ellen Botsford born October 9th 1860
Emma ? Botsford born April 4th 1862
Henry Smith Botsford born April 1st 1864
Birdie Botsford Godfrey born June 12th 1870

Eliza Botsford died Dec 29, 1847 aged 44 years 25 days
Jasper Botsford died Jan 25 1848 aged 2 months 4 days
Elnathan Botsford died Jan 6th 1853 aged 54, 8 months
Emily wife of Albert Botsford died April 6th 1864 Aged ? 24 days
Birdie Botsford Godfrey died August 4th 1870 Aged 2 months

*At this point newspaper clippings are taped over the transcript. The transcriber was able to lift up and record some of the original record.*

Henry Smith Bot_ died July 18th 18_
Lottie E. Botsf_ Died Feb 2_ aged 17 yea_
Mary Botsford died July 26, 1880
Marco Bots_ March 5 _
Henry Smith Botsford died July 18th 1883 Aged 19
David Jervis Godfrey died Feb 19th 1907 Aged 79 years 7 months
Mina B. Sheley died Jan 15, 1929
Smith Botsford died April 5, 1915
Anna Botsford Bach died July 29, 1915
Ellen Botsford Godfrey died Jan 15, 1920
Celia Botsford Gillette died May 29, 1925

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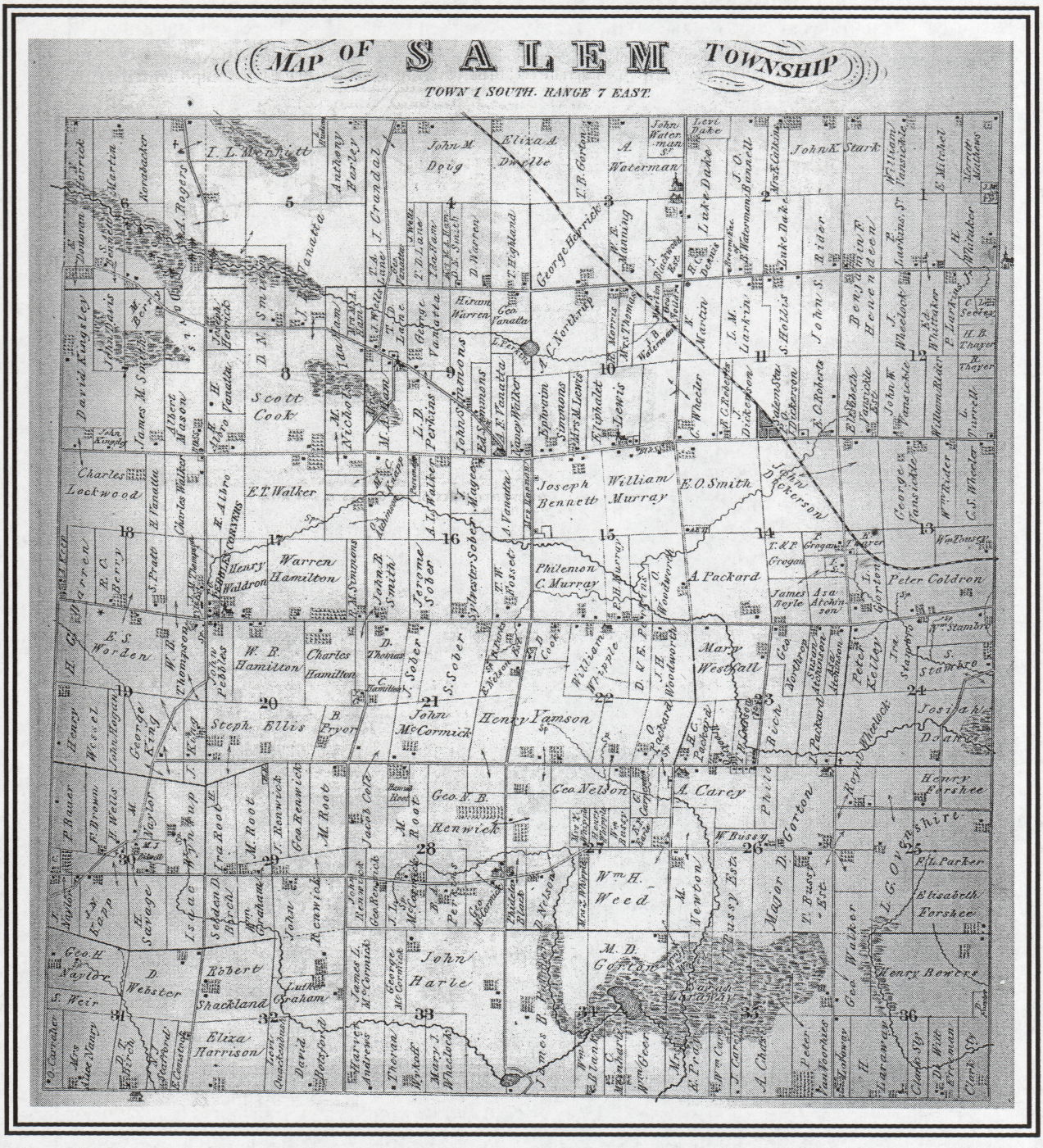


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## DEATH OF MR. CHAUNCEY H. MILLEN, 1891

At midnight last Saturday, Mr. Chauncey H. Millen, one of Ann Arbor's best known, oldest and most respected citizens, passed away. His death was a great shock to his friends, although he had been in poor health for the past few years. He had attended to his business during the week as usual and on Saturday evening had attended a family tea party and appeared to be in his usual good spirits. Shortly after eleven o'clock he became unable to draw a good breath and medical attendance was at once summoned. But he was beyond human aid. The immediate cause of his death was congestion of the lungs. During the week he had acted as pall bearer at two funerals.

Mr. Millen was born in Newtown, Connecticut, February 19, 1821. When he was seventeen years of age he went to sea and when nineteen, a second mate of a vessel, brought it safely into port, the captain being seriously ill and the first mate having died. He crossed the ocean as a sailor seven times. He came to Ann Arbor with his parents before he went to sea, and after his voyages, he returned to the city and went into business. In 1852 he was married in St. Andrew's church to Sarah McDonald Stewart, a sister of Mrs. J. T. Swathel, who preceded him to the better land by four years.

For many years he was engaged in the dry goods business and was most widely and favorably known. He was United States Internal Revenue Collector under President Grant. In connection with his dry goods business, he built up a large insurance agency, which he conducted until his death. He built the fine residence on Washtenaw avenue commonly known as the Millen House, and while it was in his possession it was kept up as one of the handsomest residences in the state. Mr. Millen was a man of the most generous impulses. He had materially helped very many men during his life. He was always gentle, kindly and considerate. For very many years he was a vestry man of St. Andrew's church and did much toward building up the church, giving most liberally towards the erection of the church. He will be greatly missed by the many who knew him well and by the many who have felt the kindly sympathy of the man, whose gentle nature had endeared him to them. He leaves two children, Charles S. Millen, of this city, and Mrs. Giles Lewis, of Chicago.

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## QUERIES AND REQUESTS

**IVORY**
**McCOLLUM**
**McCORMICK**
**NOYES**

Jerusha McCollum b. NY 3 Aug.1813, d. poss in Ann Arbor 9 Aug. 1889, came to Ann Arbor as a young woman, and prob res. her entire life in Ann Arbor. She marr.1) William McCormick who d. 1851. She marr.2) David W. Noyes, who preceded her in death. Her obit appeared in the *Ann Arbor Democrat* 16 Aug. 1889. She is bur. in Forest Hill Cem, Ann Arbor. Sk official death record.

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**DUNDON**
**GREGORY**
**HANWAY**
**LOFTIN**
**NOHR**

Anna Nohr Dundon (my great-aunt) lvd Ypsilanti, MI. Her son Kenneth L. Dundon b. ca 1912, d. poss Ypsilanti 1 Oct. 2008, age 96. My Grandmother Emily L. Nohr Hanway res. Dearborn. Another aunt Gertrude Gregory res. Wayne Co., MI. Sk contact with any ch or relatives. Any help appreciated.

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**BLAKESLY**
**DURKEE**
**FINCH**
**GREIFF**
**HINDS**
**MCCARTY**
**SHEPHEARD**
**WANTY**
**WARBOYS**
**WORBOY**

Margaret McCarty d/o Hiram and Sarah b.13 Sept. 1831 d. Augusta Twp 31 Aug. 1909 marr. 22 Aug. 1852 Nelson Durkee (22 Aug. 1831-16 Apr. 1906). Both bur. Stony Creek Cem Augusta Twp, also oldests dau, Harriet Viola Durkee (1853-1935) who marr. Paul Warboys. Other ch of Nelson & Maragaret: Charles Durkee (1855-1910); Albert Durkee (1860-1905); Wallace Durkee (1862-1949); Nelson Durkee (1866-1945) are also bur. Stony Creek Cem.
Wallace Orson Durkee marr. 22 Aug. 1885 Elizabeth Martha Wanty d/o Frederick Albert Wanty (1862-1926) who came to America from ENG in 1873. Wallace Durkee, his father and his wife bur.Marble Park Cem, Milan, as well as Elizabeth's sister Sarah Jane Wanty Finch, w/o Aaron Finch.
Frederick Albert Wanty marr.1) Elizabeth Hinds 2 Oct. 1866, marr. 2) 9 Sept. 1874 in Saline Eliza (Shepheard) Blakesly, age 45 from NY or poss ENG. Frederick's older brother Richard Peet Wanty (1825-1904, Milan, MI) and family also came from ENG. Sk info about the Wanty fam.

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**BROWN**
**COBURN**
**DRAKE**
**WHEELER**

Thomas Jefferson Wheeler (1809 Steuben Co, NY-16 Mar 1887 Grand Rapids, MI) is poss brother to Jane Olive Wheeler (3 May 1814 Wheeler, Steuben, NY-15 Nov 1881 Saline, Washt Co., MI.) Jane is d/o Jonas Wheeler & wife Jane Coburn. Jane marr. in Saline 18 Sept. 1866 Daniel T. Drake. (6 Sept. 1798 NY or Pownal, VT-28 Oct. 1880 Saline, MI) They are bur. in Oak Hill, Saline with Daniel's first wife, Sally W. (4 Aug. 1805 Salem, NY-16 Feb. 1851 Saline.) Daniel had three children with Sarah/Sally: Alfred Drake (11 Oct. 1846 Saline, MI-30 Mar. 1864 Camp Nelson, KY) and A. Philo Drake( physician) (July 1828 NY-10 Mar. 1902) and Elizabeth (1832 NY-). Sk proof that Thomas Jefferson and Jane Olive are brother and sister.

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**WALKER**
**WILCOX**
**WELSH**

Daniel Wilcox (b. NY 1790-1800) and his wife Mary Walker (b. NY 1790-1800 had ch: William (b. NY 1826 ; Mary Ann (b. MI 1833); Alexander (b. Northfield Twp, Washt Co., 1838 ); Daniel (b. MI 1842 . Willing to share what I have on the ch. Sk death dates and places of burial for parents Daniel and Mary.

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**GOODRICH**
**KEATS**

Sydney Keats b. ENG abt 1798. Poss immigrated to NY in 1828. Marr. in Saline, MI Adeline Goodrich in1831. They had one child, Washington S. Keats, b. MI 1833. Three different local newspapers published Sydney's MI business dealings between 1833-1838. After that, he seems to have disappeared. Adeline was in WI by 1855. Sk birth and death places of Sydney.

Warren Keats, 2430 N. 71st St., Milwaukee, WI 53213.

**BAUER**
**BECKLEY**
**CLARK/CLARKE**
**DEERING**

Noah Clark/Clarke b. ca 1790 d. Franklin Twp, Lenawee Co., Mich., Sept. 1869. He marr. Polly/Mary. Known ch: Jane, William, Lydia, George, Charles, Harmon, Howard B. Son Charles b. ca 1811 d. poss Washt Co. 1893/1895 marr. Lydia Beckley. Howard B. marr. in Manchester, Mich., Marie Belle Bauer. Sk info on this family.

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[see Capers v. 25 p. 20, Elisabeth Johnson]

**ABER**
**DIETRICH**
**GLENDENING**
**STARK**

Harriet Aber (12 Nov. 1810 Waterloo, Seneca, NY-29 Sept. 1882 Ypsilanti Twp, Washt Co., MI) husband possibly John B. Stark (29 May 1812 Cherry Valley, Otsego, NY-1899 Macksville, KS). Marr. where ? 4 Apr. 1837. Ch: Mary E. Stark b. MI 1837; Oliver b. MI 1839; Helen L. b. MI 1842; Susan A. b. MI 1844; Martha A. b. MI 1847 MI; Ada b. MI 1848; Otis B. Stark b. MI 1853. Otis B. marr. Ella C. Dietrich b. NY 1863 and had a child Ruth b. IA Aug. 1886. John B. Stark found in Augusta Twp 1850 and 1860, Ypsilanti 1880. Harriet, John B., and O. F. Stark's first wife are bur. at Highland Cem, Ypsilanti. Are Martha and Ada same child? Sk proof Harriet marr. John B. Stark.

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[see Capers v.24 p. 39, Ella Dietrich and parents Henry and Surriah]

**CORNELL**
**DEKAY**
**DRAKE**
**PARKER**
**SAWYER**
**WATERS**

Francis Drake (1772 NY-16 Jan. 1839 Lodi) marr. 13 Feb. 1799 Hannah Dekay (ca 1772-3 Apr. 1847 Lodi). Francis and Hannah bur. Lodi Cem, as well as relatives: Edward and Orpha Waters Drake; Jonathan W. and wives Jessie Maria Cornell and Mary Olivia Drake; Seth and Rosina Drake; Francis and Fanny Parker Drake; Hector and Anna; George W, Orin and Inez Drake; Arthur J. and Clara; Edgar and Julia; Amos, Thomas, Gertrude. Sk these families.

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[See Queries by cousin Christine Lufkin on Edward and Orpha Waters Drake v. 17 p. 39]

**BROWN**
**DEKAY**
**DRAKE**
**DRURY**
**ELLIOTT**
**MILLER**
**ROSE**
**SAWYER**
**TYLER**
**WILSON**
**WOODRUFF**

Almira Rose b. 20 May 1816 d/o William Rose, marr. Governeur Drake (22 Dec. 1802 Goshen, Orange, NY-24 July 1880 Lodi, Washt Co.) s/o Francis and Hannah DeKay Drake. Governeur & Almira were originally bur. in Lodi Twp, later moved to Forest Hill Cem, Ann Arbor. William Rose b. NY abt 1790, d. Washt Co. 1 Apr. 1836. He was marr. twice; Mercy (maiden name unk) and Elizabeth Brown (1894 NY-1877 Tuscola?). William's other children, unsure which mother; Loretta Rose b.1823 marr. Daniel Elliot and Gilbert Woodruff; Mercy Ann Rose b. 2 July 1814 marr. Otis Tyler; Phillip Rose b. CT 1812 marr. Alzurea Miller; Esther Ann Rose b. 1821 marr. Alverson Drury; David B. Rose b. 10 Aug. 1829 marr. Anna Wilson; William H. Rose b. Nov. 1818. All lived Saline or Ypsilanti. Sk info on the William Rose fam.

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